

REMARKS

This communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed 18 October 2006. In this paper, the Applicant has:

- cancelled claims 1, 2, 7, 9, 12 and 24; and
- amended claims 8, 10, 11, 13-19, 25 and 26.

The Applicant submits that the amendments to claims 8, 10, 11, 13-19, 25 and 26 are completely supported by the application as originally filed and add no new matter.

Claims 3-6, 8, 10, 11, 13-23 and 25-28 are currently pending

Allowable subject matter

The Examiner has allowed claims 3-6, 20-23, 27 and 28.

The Applicant has amended claims 8, 10, 11 and 13-19 to depend from allowed claim 3 and submits that claims 8, 10, 11 and 13-19 are allowable for at least this reason.

The Applicant has amended claims 25 and 26 to depend from allowed claim 27 and submits that claims 25 and 26 are allowable for at least this reason.

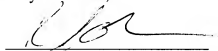
Conclusions

The Applicant submits that the foregoing amendments place this application in condition for allowance as all of the pending claims have either been allowed by the Examiner or have been amended to depend from claims which have been allowed by the Examiner.

The Applicant requests reconsideration and allowance of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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